IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: AVERY, et al.

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For: Novel Antigiardial Agents and Methods of Use Thereof

Group Art Unit: 1625

Examiner: CHANDRAKUMAR, Nizal S.

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SMALL ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

- 1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 in the above-identified application.
 - 2. Small Entity Status remains proper for this Application.
 - 3. The enclosed document is being transmitted electronically.
 - 4. Petition for Extension of Time: Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17,
- 1.136(a), the Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of three (3) months to May 7, 2008 for the period in which to file this amendment and the required fee of \$525.00 is authorized with the electronic submission of this document.

5. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims		Highest	Present	Rate	Additional
	Remaining		Number	Extra		Fee
	After		Previously			
	Amendment		Paid For			
Total	6	minus	(20)	0	0 x \$25=	\$ 0
37 CFR 1.16(c)						
Independent	1	minus	(3)	0	0 x \$105=	\$ 0
37 CFR 1.16(b)						
3-month						\$ 525.00
extension of						
time						
					TOTAL	\$ 525.00

6. The amount of \$525.00 was paid concurrently with the electronic submission of the Amendment and Remarks.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this, concurrent, or future filings to Deposit Account Number 50-2752.

If the Examiner has any questions regarding this correspondence, or the Application in general, she is respectfully invited to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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